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Mark R. Wisner, Registration No.

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PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION (37 C.F.R. 1.137(b))

Dear Sir:

The above-identified application was deemed abandoned for failure to respond to a May 19, 2003 Official Action on September 12, 2004. Applicants filed a Petition to Withdraw Abandonment on October 12, 2004 that was dismissed by the Office on May 21, 2007. The May 21, 2007 decision set a two-month period for requesting reconsideration of the decision, but that decision was not received by the below-signed Attorney for Applicants such that this Petition to Revive is being filed concurrently with Applicants' Request For Re-Set of Time to Reply to Decision on Petition, and it is respectfully requested that the Request for Re-Set be granted so that this **Petition to Revive** can then be considered by the Office.

Abandonment of this application was unintentional, and Applicant(s) therefore respectfully petition(s) the Commissioner to revive the application under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b). The entire delay in filing the required reply, from the due date until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b), was unintentional.

Enclosed in support of this **Petition to Revive** are:

- (1) A Form PTO-2038 authorizing a charge to the credit card listed thereon in the amount of the \$770.00 petition fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m));
- (2) The above-identified application was deemed abandoned as a result of Applicant's/Applicants' failure to respond to the Official Action mailed in the

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application on May 19, 2003. Applicants filed a response to that Action in timely fashion on August 19, 2003, but the below-signed Attorney learned, in telephone conversations with the Examiner, that the August 19, 2003 response had not been entered because it was considered not to comply with the revised amendment practices then in effect (the below-signed Attorney did not receive a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment at the time). Applicants therefore filed a Revised Response to Official Action of May 19, 2003 with the above-described Petition to Withdraw Abandonment on October 12, 2004, and it is respectfully requested that Applicants' Revised Response to Official Action of May 19, 2003 be accepted at this time as the proposed response that must be included with this Petition to Revive in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b); and

(3) because the above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required (37 C.F.R. 1.137(d)).

The grant of this Petition to Revive, entry of the enclosed Terminal Disclaimer (if required), and the Revised Response to Official Action of May 19, 2003, are all respectfully requested.

In the event a check or Form PTO-2038 for the required fee for filing this Petition is inadvertently not enclosed, is insufficient in amount, or inadvertently was not executed, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the Deposit Account of Wisner & Associates, Account No. 50-0965 (GORA,007-04) in the amount of any necessary fee. In the event there are questions regarding this filing, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned attorney for Applicant(s) be contacted at the address and phone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,

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Alan, Scott Seaman, our president, sent this to me for my recommendation. I don't know what to say about this. What do you think?

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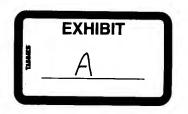
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REQUEST FOR RE-SET OF TIME FOR REPLY TO DECISION ON PETITION

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the two-month time for reply to a decision on a petition, (specifically, Applicants' Petition to Withdraw Abandonment) mailed by the Office on May 21, 2007 be re-set. In more detail, Applicants filed a Status Inquiry on July 18, 2006 inquiring about action by the Office on the Petition to Withdraw Abandonment (as filed on October 12, 2004). On May 21, 2007, the Office mailed a decision dismissing Applicants' Petition to Withdraw Abandonment that set a two-month period for requesting reconsideration of the dismissal. However, the below-signed Attorney did not receive that May 21, 2007 decision, and was therefore not aware of the dismissal of the Petition to Withdraw Abandonment or the two-month period for requesting reconsideration of that May 21, 2007 decision. For that reason, Applicants are requesting that the two-month period for reply to the May 21, 2007 decision be reset at this time. Applicants also enclose a Petition to Revive the captioned application in response to the decision dismissing the Petition to Withdraw Abandonment.

In support of this request to re-set the time for reply to the May 21, 2007 decision, and in accordance with MPEP 710.06 (requiring that a petition to re-start the time for reply be accompanied by evidence showing the date of receipt of the Office action at the correspondence address), Applicants enclose a copy of an e-mail from another Attorney acting on behalf of the

Applicants as Exhibit A. That other Attorney discovered the May 21, 2007 decision by accessing the application on the Office's Web site, and sent an e-mail attaching the May 21, 2007 decision to the below-signed Attorney. As is apparent from Exhibit A, the e-mail sent to the below-signed Attorney shows an October 26, 2007 date, which is the first time that the below-signed Attorney was aware of the May 21, 2007 decision and the two-month deadline for requesting reconsideration of that decision. In further compliance with the requirements of MPEP 710.06, this request to re-set the time for reply to the May 21, 2007 decision is being filed within two weeks of the date of receipt of the May 21, 2007 decision at the correspondence address (in other words, within two weeks of October 26, 2007).

So far as is known, there is no fee for filing this Request to re-set the two-month period for requesting reconsideration of the May 21, 2007 decision. However, if a fee is assessed, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0965 in the amount of any necessary fee. In the event there are questions, please contact the undersigned Attorney for Applicant(s) at the address and telephone number set out below.

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